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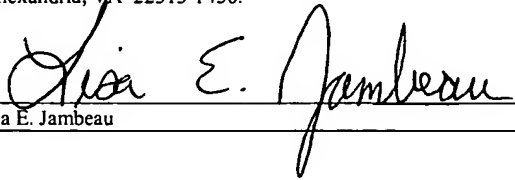
Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed May 20, 2004, enclosed are:

1. A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (2 pages);
2. Petition for Three-Month Extension of Time (2 pages);
3. Executed Declaration (5 pages);
4. Copy of executed Assignment (6 pages);
5. Executed Power of Attorney (2 pages);
6. Check No. 568275 in the amount of \$555.00; and
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Enclosed is a check totaling \$555.00 to cover the Three (3) Month Extension of Time fee (\$490.00) and Declaration Surcharge (\$65.00). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees associated with the filing submitted herewith, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 50 -1355. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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*Filing Date Granted*Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

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- **\$65** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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